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Applicants respectfully request that the official filing receipt received from the PTO in the above application be corrected as follows:

The Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant should read

"This application is a 371 of PCT/US00/18347 07/05/2000 which claims benefit of 60/144,292 07/16/1999

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